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that he was talking to the only living man that, in his own estimation, knows everything.

President Taft is trying to sidetrack the tariff issue and raise the trust question. If there is anything that President Taft is ashamed of in the record of his administration, it is the tariff record he and his party have made. The battle which has for its object the winning of the Presidency this year is now on. Mr. Taft like all other stalwart Republicans is doing everything in his power to obscure and side-track the tariff issue so that the great monopolies and trusts can continue enriching themselves at the expense of the public. The people of this country are now thoroughly convinced that the robber tariff under which we are now living and suffering is the mother of the trusts. The Republican party and President Taft do not want that old "mother" harmed, but they want her to live in health and flourish while he goes thru the operation of painting harmless red streaks on her offspring, the trusts, like a clown at a circus, and tries to make the public believe that those painted stripes are real cuts. By the enforcement of the anti-trust law the Standard Oil trust and the Tobacco trust are supposed to have dissolved and to be cut into several pieces. But they are not cuts at all, but merely painted stripes, entirely harmless, and the Standard Oil and Tobacco trusts are doing business and gouging the people just the same way and for the benefit of the same people as they did before they were theoretically dissolved by the Supreme Court. The Democratic doctrine is to lower the tariff so that the great corporations of this country, which now control the necessities of life, will have to sell those necessities at reasonable prices, else we will buy them abroad. It has been clearly demonstrated that no industry of this country needs protection from tariff laws, because our factories are already selling goods abroad cheaper than they do to the American consumer, so that the tariff merely enables them to plunder the American people. Mr. Taft and the Republican party cannot sidetrack the tariff issue.

During last year 211 new banks with a capital stock of \$10,869,470 were established in the Southern States, twelve of these being in Kentucky.

New Mexico, the forty-seventh State to enter the Union, ceased to be a Territory at 1:35 last Saturday when President Taft signed the proclamation of statehood.

hundred thousand men for thirty years. The Cheops pyramid occupies a space of twelve and three-quarters acres and is 746 feet high. —Los Angeles, Cal., Tribune.

Emile Berliner, the noted inventor of Washington, D. C., says: "The goal today is to get heat direct from an electric current. A little machine, some time, set up in one's cellar, will light and heat one's house and supply one's wife with power with which to do her sewing, launder her linen and run her sweeping and dusting apparatus. Electricians are working on that problem. Those who are not working are prophesying its solution. It will simplify house-keeping, and cheapen it, too, I think, but it will be hard on the coal dealer and the owner of gas stock."

Madam Dethebes, of Paris, France, reported to be the "world's greatest seeress," in her forecast for 1912, predicts that the very "devil" will be to pay over the world. According to her prophecies, this is to be the "black year;" nations will be upheaved; a great European war is to be fought; the high cost of living will go higher; France will be surrounded by blood and fire; the German emperor will lose his crown; Spain will have plots and counterplots; England has a bad destiny in store for her; the present government of the United States will be knocked down and rolled in the dust of defeat; Asia and other countries will be politically turned upside down. She says: "The cataclysm foreseen is so great, so widespread, that it is dangerous even to speak of it, lest it be precipitated. We will be forewarned by a trembling of the earth, and we shall know that the end of our troubles is in sight when most of the necessities of life are wanting."

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China's Emperor is in no frame of mind to enjoy the sacrifices or anything else.

Most Occidentals can tell a Manchu from a Chinaman when they meet one in the street.

When the super-dreadnought shall have been exceeded, how will the vessel be referred to?

Arabs in Tripoli who killed Italian wounded soldiers were not bidding for gentle treatment.

The engineless aeroplane is even less inviting to the cautious citizen than one of the noisy kind.

Just because the small boy likes to play with toy railroad trains is no sign that he will be president.

Most persons are willing to acknowledge that there is such a thing as old age, but the bridegroom of 73, never.

Six hundred asteroids travel along with the arth, and one of them is missing. Has any one seen a lost asteroid?

Professor Lowell reports sighting a frost on Mars, but could not tell by the telescope which party had been defeated.

A ditch digger is sole heir to a \$75,000 estate. When the whistle blows at noon he can eat his lunch light-heartedly.

Goat's milk is strongly recommended as a cure for inebriety. Still, the victim may find difficulty in getting somebody's goat.

The Chinese emperor, aged 5, is doing so well that he can reasonably be expected to pacify his numerous subjects. They should not in all fairness be disappointed.

A man preached in the city of London and was carried off by his hearers. And one of his hearers was to prove that he was a man.

A priest was asked a magistrate not to fine him for being it would be the beginning of seven years of bad luck. It had been his good luck that had kept him out of trouble.

Fifty Pittsburg men are suing for divorce on the ground of extravagance. It surely is a shame for their wives to spend the money they need for the Great White Way.

The beauty lecturer who has been advising New York women to use more soap and water on their faces but not to forget the rouge, reminds us that some beauty isn't even skin deep.

The cutting off of queues by the Chinese rebels is reported to have made puffs cheaper. If the revolution wins out first thing we know puffs will be so cheap they will be unfashionable.

European nobleman tried to reduce his weight in order to win a wife and died of starvation. Moral: It is better to have men say "Isn't he fat?" than "Doesn't he look natural!"

on the wall. No man can realize anything at such times.

Andrew said he must be going, after Amabel had begun to wonder if he was going to talk about the weather and the latest book all evening.

"Must you go, really?" she asked, brightly. "Wait just a moment. I have something for you."

She went into another room, then came back with a small package, which she handed to him.

"Just a little Christmas remembrance," she smiled. "You won't mind getting it ahead of time, will you?"

Such good friends as you and I needn't wait for Christmas day itself, need we?"

She carefully stood immediately beneath a spray of mistletoe when she said this, but Andrew did not notice it. This is further proof that love is blind.

"Thank you," Andrew mumbled, nervously. "I—I wish you a merry Christmas, Am-amabel."

"That's nice of you, and I hope you like the little gift. It really isn't a gift, Andrew. It's just a necktie I made for you myself. I wish it could have been something nicer—but you'll let the sentiment that goes with it count for what it lacks in value or beauty, won't you?"

She carelessly reached up and adjusted the spray of mistletoe, smiling also at Andrew. Andrew stood there, turning the package over and over in his hands, blind as ever. What Amabel thought we never will know. There must be times while a woman is landing a man that she is so enraged with his obtuseness that she would keenly enjoy thumping him on the head with a shovel.

Andrew got his eyes away from hers long enough to ask:

"Are you going to have a Christmas tree?"

"No. We're old-fashioned, you know. We're just going to hang up our stockings in front of the grate, and let Santa come right down the chimney. I love those old customs, don't you?"

As she spoke of the old customs she once more pushed the spray of mistletoe up into place. This time Andrew saw it, and away down deep in his heart he wished he were just a good friend of Amabel's.

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So he wrote his note, wrapped it about the ring, replaced the ring and the note in the little box, wrapped it up, and betook himself to Amabel's home.

The porch from which he planned to effect his surreptitious entrance was a side one. He remembered that last summer Amabel's father had said he must have the catch on the window repaired. He knew perfectly well Amabel's father hadn't done so—for he knew Amabel's father was like all men.

Through the side yard and over the porch rail he went. The window he found unfastened. Carefully he raised it and felt his way into the room. To

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"I—I'll bet it was me!" Andrew stammered.

"Well, I must fix that window tomorrow," Mr. Tuttle decided.

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Sad Case.

A fellow who lived on the isthmus. Was bothered somewhat by strabismus.

He said: "It is sad. But my eyes, which are bad, See New Year when looking at Christmas."

A Christmas Thought.

I am thinking of you today because it is Christmas, and I wish you happiness. And tomorrow, because it will be the day after Christmas, I shall still wish you happiness, and so on clear through the year.—Henry Vas Dyke.

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stepped forward into the show ring, and carried off the Stillwell trophy and \$1,000 for the best potatoes on the continent. This time the winner was a British Columbia man, Mr. Asabel Smith, the "Potato King," of that province. The exhibit consisted of one hundred and one varieties drawn from all parts of the province aggregating in weight one and a half tons.

At the recent Dry Farming Congress, held at Colorado Springs, and at which time it was decided to hold the next Congress at Lethbridge, in 1912, the Province of Alberta made a wonderful showing of grains, grasses and vegetables.

"At the Congress, Alberta got more prizes and trophies, ten to one, than any state of the Union," said Mr. Hotchkiss to the Edmonton Bulletin. "We brought back all but the building with us, and they offered us that, saying we might as well take all that was going. We would have brought it along, too, if we had had a fiat car to put it on. Alberta captured nearly 50 first prizes, 20 seconds, 3 thirds, 9 cups, 40 medals, 50 ribbons and 2 sweepstakes. The grand sweepstake prize, for the best exhibit by state or province, a magnificent silver cup, was presented to us with much ceremony at a reception to the Canadians in the Empress hotel. The presentation was made by Prof. Olin, chairman of the judging committee, and the cup was received on behalf of the province by the Hon. Duncan Marshall.

Question for Question.

"I shall discharge our butler," said Mr. Cumrox.

"What's the trouble?"

"He doesn't show me proper deference. When I am paying a man liberally, I consider it his duty to laugh at my jokes."

"And won't he?"

"I don't think he can. He's an English butler. When in a spirit of gentle and condescending badinage I said to him, 'Hawkins, can you tell me which came first, the chicken or the egg?' he said, 'Which did you order first, sir?'"

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Harry—No; he couldn't get it in, so he put it in ma's instead."

Sad Case.

A fellow who lived on the isthmus. Was bothered somewhat by strabismus.

He said: "It is sad. But my eyes, which are bad, See New Year when looking at Christmas."

A Christmas Thought.

in. Baste in the fold; then turn the other curtain in exactly the same way and by the same measurement.

If they are sash curtains, run in a double row of sewing, three-quarters of an inch apart, into which you can run small brass rods.

If for long windows, curtain pins should be placed about three inches apart, so that they may be hung on the rings, or, if preferred, they can be run on rods also, especially if there is a heavy curtain to go over them.

After you have done the first pair or two you will not mind in the least doing the work, and you will be many dollars in pocket at the end of the curtain washing season.

Turkey in the Pan Breast Down.

The best way to bake a turkey is to bake it with the breast down. In this way all the fine flavoring of the turkey, the juice of the dressing and all the daintier juices flow down toward the breast of the fowl, and when the white meat is served you get the full benefit of every flavor added during the processes of preparing and baking the turkey, in addition to the distinctive taste of the fowl itself. If you desire to place the fowl on the table before carving, you will find that it will look quite as well as it would if baked in the usual way, and certainly it will taste much better.—Housekeeper.

Nut Jumbles.

Take one pound of butter, one pound of sugar, and beat them to a cream, then add two eggs, a small glassful of milk, and flour enough to roll them out like cookies (as thin as possible). Brush the top of each jumble with the beaten yolk of an egg, into which sprinkle some granulated sugar mixed with a small portion of cinnamon, and on the top sprinkle some chopped almonds. Bake in a good oven until a delicate brown. Take care they do not get too brown.

For Greasing Cake Tins.

Take a small round tin box with airtight cover. Bore a hole in cover through which insert the handle of a small paint brush, so that the brush may reach nearly to the bottom of the box. By keeping a little lard in the box and putting it on the stove for a minute before using, the cake tins can be greased quickly and without soiling the hands, while the close cover of the box keeps all dust from the brush.—Suburban Life.

Honey Candy.

Put half a pound of honey into a saucepan, add half a pound of sugar, one tablespoonful of cream and a dessertspoonful of cold water, then mix and stir well. Allow to stand for one hour. Put over a moderate fire, stirring gently until it is stiff enough to pull. Pour into buttered tins. When cool enough to handle pull and cut into small pieces.

Breakfast Biscuit.

To a half cup of melted butter, a little salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder add one quart of milk and flour enough to make a stiff batter. Do not knead to make into dough. Drop from a spoon into buttered pans and bake in a hot oven, as only a quick oven will make them light and tender.

Stranger—Don't this town pretty slow?

Native—Slow? Say, nearly every evenin' there's the gol dingest most excitin' checker game at the store you ever seen!

Somewhat Inconsistent.

The young woman had spent a busy day. She had browbeaten fourteen sales-people, bullyragged a shop-walker, argued victoriously with a milliner, laid down the law to a modiste, nipped in the bud a taxi chauffeur's attempt to overcharge her, made a street car conductor stop the car in the middle of a non-stop run for her, discharged her maid and engaged another, and otherwise refused to allow herself to be imposed upon. Yet she did not smile that evening when a young man begged:

"Let me be your protector through life!"

Precise.

The proofreader on a small middle-western daily was a woman of great precision and extreme propriety. One day a reporter succeeded in getting into type an item about "Willie Brown, the boy who was burned in the West end by a live wire."

On the following day the reporter found on his desk a frigid note asking, "Which is the west end of a boy?"

It took only an instant to reply—"The end the son sets on, of course."

—Ladies' Home Journal.

For Instance

Post Toastie

The Memory Lingers

~Grocer says because they are

GOOD





She—I wonder who originated the saying, "There is always room at the top?"  
He—Some hotel clerk, I guess.

#### Husband Was Willing.

The Scot has no monopoly of domestic felicity, as many a piquant paragraph bears witness. The other day an old farmer and his wife were "doing" the sights of a provincial town, and, among other places they visited a panorama of South Africa.

The views were extremely interesting, and the couple were enjoying themselves to the full. As scene after scene passed, the woman's enthusiasm increased, and at length, turning to her husband, she exclaimed:

"Oh, Sandy, this is really splendid. I could just sit here all my days."

"Ah, weel, Jennie, woman," replied Sandy, to the mirth of those sitting near, "just sit you still there; I'll not grudge the saxeence."

#### THE LITTLE WIDOW A Mighty Good Sort of Neighbor to Have.

"A little widow, a neighbor of mine, persuaded me to try Grape-Nuts when my stomach was so weak that it could not retain food of any other kind," writes a grateful woman, from Bernardino Co., Cal.

"I had been ill and confined to my bed with fever and nervous prostration for three long months after the death of my second boy. We were in despair until the little widow's advice brought relief."

"I liked Grape-Nuts food from the beginning, and in an incredibly short time it gave me such strength that I was able to leave my bed and enjoy my three good meals a day. In 2 months my weight increased from 95 to 113 pounds, my nerves had steadied down and I felt ready for anything. My neighbors were amazed to see me gain so rapidly, and still more so when they heard that Grape-Nuts alone had brought the change."

"My 4-year-old boy had eczema very bad last spring and lost his appetite entirely, which made him cross and peevish. I put him on a diet of Grape-Nuts, which he relished at once. He improved from the beginning, the eczema disappeared and now he is fat and rosy, with a delightfully soft, clear skin. The Grape-Nuts diet did it. I will willingly answer all inquiries. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

ci Mr. Terry, who conducted a store, refused, it is alleged, to sell whisky to two men, who thereupon shot him.

Mr. Terry was a dry goods clerk in this city for a number of years and married a sister of the late Congressman Robertson. He is survived by one son, J. Cad Terry, of Brazil; four brothers, C. W., D. A., M. D. and J. R. Terry, of this county, and two sisters, Mrs. Beeler, of Texas, and Mrs. Haskell, of Muldraugh.

#### RED MEN ANNUAL MEETING.

Lexington.—With over 200 members of the Improved Order of Red Men present, and with Grand Sachem Wm. A. Crader, of Louisville, here to exemplify the work, the annual meeting of the Tenth district was held under the auspices of Mantonimo Tribe No. 1, of which Frank L. Smith is the presiding officer. The crack degree team of Cherokee Tribe No. 8, of Louisville, which has become famous throughout the state, was here to put on the adoption of warriors and chief degree for the benefit of thirteen candidates. Col. H. V. Kohn, secretary and treasurer of the Louisville Anzeiger, captain of the team, was present to see the work done. Great Sachem William A. Crader arrived in company with Great Chief of Records Frank L. Smith, of this city, who went to Louisville Friday to attend the district meeting in that city.

#### KILLS HIS NEIGHBOR.

Russellville.—James J. Dean shot and killed Pat White at Buena Vista Springs. One shot was fired from a double-barreled shotgun and White fell dead. Both were farmers and neighbors, living only about 200 yards apart, and are said to have had previous trouble. Immediately after the killing Dean came to town and surrendered to the sheriff. Dean is 40 years old and White was younger. At the time of the killing they were only a few feet apart.

#### OFFICERS ARE ELECTED.

Lawrenceburg.—At a meeting of the board of council the following officers were elected for the next two years: City treasurer, Harry B. McAfee; city clerk, Hardin B. Rippe; city attorney, F. R. Feland; city physician, Dr. J. L. Toll; city health officer, Dr. G. D. Lillard; superintendent waterworks, Juber Hahn; chief of police, John H. Morton, and policeman, Robert H. Searce. The new officers will be sworn in the first Monday in January.

### Death Lurks in Gasoline

It Should Be Used for Washing Only Out of Doors and Carefully Handled.

Gasoline should only be used for washing out of doors and away from buildings and smokers. When the washing is done the gasoline should be thrown on loose ground that will drink it up at once.

Severe explosions have come from

Richmond.—Mrs. James Bennett, of this city, an officer of the Equal Rights Association of Kentucky, has sent to each member of congress a memorial urging that the law be changed so women can vote in selecting United States Senators. Senator Paynter and Representative Helm have consented to introduce the memorial to their respective bodies.

#### "YELLOW CAT'S" SLAYER.

Wadkins Held in Bond of \$3,000 To Answer To Grand Jury.

Jackson.—The examining trial of Deputy Town Marshal Green Wadkins for the killing of "Yaller Cat" Jeff David here was held before County Judge J. Wise Hagins. Despite the testimony of Wadkins and another witness that he shot David in self-defense while the latter was resisting arrest Judge Hagins held Wadkins in a bond of \$3,000 to answer to the grand jury. Wadkins gave bond at once.

#### THIRD MODEL CITY.

Whitesburg.—The Consolidation Coal Co., building the cities of Jenkins on Elkhorn and McRoberts on Wright's Fork of Boone, owning 100,000 acres in the heart of the Elkhorn coal field, makes the announcement that it will shortly start the construction of its third model city. The third city will be built on Main Boone, below the mouth of Potter's Fork, on the main line of the Lexington & Eastern road. At first some big mills will be installed.

#### NO OVERDRAFTS TO BE ALLOWED

Lexington.—No overdrafts in any of the Lexington banks are to be allowed after March 1, 1912.

Resolutions to that effect were unanimously adopted at a meeting of the Lexington Clearing House association, the signatures of all the banks in the city being affixed by official representatives.

#### CARPENTER BADLY HURT.

Paris.—Sol Current, a carpenter, fell from the Duncan avenue bridge over the L. & N. tracks, a distance of thirty feet, sustaining serious injuries. It is feared he is badly injured internally.

#### DELEGATE FROM KENTUCKY.

Maysville.—The Rev. M. S. Clark, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, South, of this city, left for Washington to attend the national Anti-Saloon League convention there.

to this effect have been openly discussed since the grand jury went into session.

Officers are reticent and decline to discuss the matter, but several prominent officials and citizens have been summoned to appear and testify.

#### SENATOR BAILEY BUYS TROTTER

Texas Statesman Will Get Back Into the Game.

Lexington.—Senator Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, who disposed of his breeding outfit at his Fairland farm, near here some time ago, while here announced that he again will enter the trotting horse game with a new outfit. At the Old Glory sales in New York, he purchased a number of brood mares, and also some younger horses, which were shipped here. The brood mares will be put in the stud at Fairland, and the younger horses sent to Memphis, where they will be trained by his former trainer, Harold Chiles.

#### LARGE BARN IS BURNED.

Mt. Sterling.—The large barn belonging to Mrs. Bettie Knox, near Sewell's Shop, was burned to the ground. A number of farm implements and 10,000 poppods of tobacco burned. The loss will reach \$25,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire marshal will investigate the case, as incendiaryism is suspected.

#### SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS.

Hodgenville.—Senator Greenwood A. Taylor, aged 60 years, died here of Bright's disease. Senator Taylor was a well-known lawyer, having practiced in Hart and Larue counties for 35 years. He was born in Ceymore, Ky., was county attorney of Hart county, and has made his home in Hodgenville for the last 15 years. His wife and four sons survive him. Dr. W. B. Taylor, of Irvington, Ky. Phil and Ben, of Hodgenville, and Edward, aged 14.

#### SOME RACE DISTINCTION

Rockport.—Island Station, McLean county, is said to be the only Western Kentucky town which bars negroes, and not a single representative of the Ethiopian race is to be found there. Occasionally a colored man, beating his way on a freight train, stops off a few minutes, not knowing of the antipathy. He soon "beats it." Even the colored porters on the passenger trains are shy about getting off at Island, and when they do it is only for a moment.

Clothing can be cleaned by ammonia or benzine soap without danger. A safe substitute is gelatinized benzine in which 25 per cent benzine is added to a mass of soap, water and ammonia.

It can be handled without spilling; the amount of vapor given off is slight and the amount of inflammable material in it is small.

#### From a Gravestone.

I expected it, but I didn't expect it quite so soon.—Life.

#### HAD DONE HER PART.



"What are you goin' to give at the preacher's donation party, Mandy?"  
"Lands sake! Nuthin'. Why, I give the preacher a real store necktie that cost 10 cents at his donation party only three years ago!"

#### Wanted—A Handhold.

Meandering alike heaved such a deep sigh that his companion was moved to ask him what the matter was:

"I was just thinking about bad roads and the wonders of science," was the answer. "This earth is spinning round faster'n a railway train behind time."

"Well, we ain't fell off yet."  
"No. But think of what a convenience it would be if we could have some place to grab on to while de territory slid under our feet until de place we wanted to go to come along."  
—Youth's Companion.

#### The Paradox.

"My doctor is a paradoxical one."  
"How so?"  
"The more he reduced the swelling the higher the bills grew."

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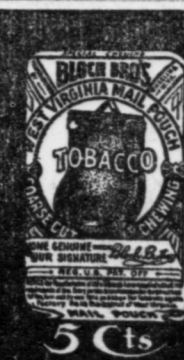


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and E. abeth Ratliff visited friends and relatives in Lexington and Carlisle from Friday until Monday.

Judge James McCue had a severe attack of indigestion yesterday morning, but was relieved in about an hour.

C. W. Peters, our popular druggist, has been on the sick list for several days, but is better as we go to press.

T. C. Campbell, who has typhoid fever, continues quite sick and a nurse has been procured for him. His 10-year-old son, Willie Ray (or Jack, as he is called) also has typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Hunt have gone to Lexington to reside, where Mr. Hunt hopes to get a good position soon. We are sorry to lose these good citizens and sincerely wish them well in their new home.

Mrs. James McCue, who was called some three and a half months ago to Davenport, Okla., by the death of the wife of her son, James C. McCue, arrived home last Saturday evening, accompanied by her grandchildren, Margaret, aged 10, Ruth, aged 6, and Alexander Hamilton, aged 4 years, who will make their home with their grandparents here.

#### MARRIED.

Mr. George F. Crouch, a farmer of Bourbon county, and Mrs. Ida Clinckenbeard, of Nicholas county, were married Monday at Carlisle. It is the second marriage for both. Mr. Crouch's first wife died about a year ago. Mrs. Clinckenbeard is the widow of the late Dudley Clinckenbeard.

Mr. Claude H. Ratliff, of Paris, and Miss Ruby Squires, of Carlisle, were married Sunday afternoon, January 7, 1911, at the home of Mrs. Turley Squires, mother of the bride, in Carlisle. Mr. Ratliff is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ratliff, of this town, and has been in business here, at Carlisle and at Paris. Recently he and Guy Overbey, of Paris, leased the Kimbrough Hotel, in Carlisle, and are conducting it on the European plan. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies in Carlisle, and has been an operator of the Carlisle Telephone Company. Mr. Ratliff's many friends here extend congratulations.

#### IT'S UP TO YOU.

I can credit only those who pay promptly.

Respectfully,  
Mrs. J. J. Mathews.

S. C. R. I. Red cockerels for sale. Mrs. Harry Berry. [18-21]

For Sale—Hens and Cockerels, Rhode Island Reds. 1711] Mrs. Ben Willson.

We are longing for "the spring time, gentle Annie," and for "the good old summer time."

The price of eggs continues high, while chickens remain remarkably low for this season of the year.

Remember the public sale of Mrs. Joan Chaney's farm next Wednesday. See advertisement in this paper.

Saturday evening the floor of the dining room in W. E. Kerns' residence was discovered to be afire, but it was soon extinguished.

At Kelly Hunt's sale of household goods, poultry, etc., Monday, low prices were realized. The frigid weather made the attendance small.

During last year 317 deeds transferring real estate were recorded in the Bath County Clerk's office at Owingsville. Three hundred and eighteen deeds were recorded during the year 1910.

Alf Darrell, an employee of the Star Planing Mill, dropped dead in front of his home at Mt. Sterling Wednesday evening, Jan. 4, of heart disease. He was 45 years old and leaves a wife and one child.

Near Owingsville, Catherine Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Boaz, was seriously burned by her dress igniting from an open fire-place. It was only by prompt attention that her injuries did not prove fatal.

Miss Georgia Sledd, daughter of Deputy Sheriff William Sledd, has announced her candidacy for the office of Superintendent of Schools of Montgomery county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Miss Fannie Peck writes from Asheville, N. C., that she was told when she arrived that snow never fell there, but there has been a fall of three inches, with the thermometer registering only 14 degrees above zero.

The speaking in the interest of the Burley tobacco pool, announced at Owingsville for last Monday, was called off after the bills were printed. There may be speaking there later, due announcement of which will be made.

At Mt. Sterling, Richard F. Mastin, former Chief of Police, fell on an icy pavement. His left shoulder was broken, the ligaments torn loose, and he was badly bruised. Owing to his age, 67 years, his injuries are serious.

Conner attempted to pull a pistol from the holster, when the weapon discharged, the bullet entering above the heart and going entirely thru the body, coming out in the back. He is a popular young farmer and married.

Carlisle people are dissatisfied over the delay of the Louisville & Nashville railroad company to erect a passenger station there in place of the one that was destroyed by fire last May. Since that time nothing but a small shack has been provided, altho the foundation for a new passenger station has been laid for some time. The matter has been taken before the State Railroad Commission.

Owens Ratliff, who retired from the mercantile business January 1, has a card in this issue to which we will add a few words. A co incidence in his business career is that the initials of both his former partners are A. T. While Mr. Ratliff was himself in business twenty years, he had previously clerked for his father seven years, making for him a total of twenty-seven years behind the counter, almost an average life time. Naturally our readers will want to know what vocation Mr. Ratliff will follow, now that he has retired from the mercantile business. To gratify this solicitude we will state that he will not be idle, but will give his time and attention to his farm, living close to nature, resulting no doubt in the betterment of his health, a result devoutly wished for by his many friends.

#### Blizzardy Weather.

A blizzard struck this section last Thursday afternoon, the 4th, and sent the mercury scurrying down the tube from 36 to 10 degrees. A wind, blowing at a velocity of from twenty to forty miles an hour, brought the severest weather of the winter.

Friday's highest temperature was 10 degrees and the lowest was 5 degrees. Saturday brought a temperature ranging from 13 to 2 degrees, with a snowfall of about 2 inches that afternoon and night. Sunday's temperature ranged from 4 degrees above to 7 degrees below. Monday brought some thawing weather and the highest temperature was 37 degrees, accompanied by a rain. That afternoon, however, colder weather set in, intensified by a strong wind, and in the evening there was another snowfall of about an inch. The lowest temperature Monday was 3 degrees above zero.

Great suffering was caused to people and stock. Where natural gas is used, the supply ran short, caused by the pumps not working properly, and the users of this fuel had to resort to other means of

curry reached its west end in its downward course. The older residents of Campbellsville have just cause to shiver when they recall February 13, 1899. The winter had been a severe one, with zero weather much of the time. Then came February with its ice, snow, sleet and whatnot that goes to make up a hard winter; then that unlucky thirteenth day, when the thermometer fell to 32 degrees below zero here. That was the official weather report, but some of the thermometers registered as low as 39 degrees. That was about the coldest day ever recorded in the Corn Cracker State. It was a frigid day all over this land of ours, but Campbellsville, Columbia, Greensburg, Lebanon and, in fact, all of this section of the State showed a colder weather record than any other part of the Union.

#### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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During the year 1911 the police of New York City were called exactly 3,500 times to search for persons who had disappeared, and during this same time approximately 1,000 women, most of them young girls ranging in age from 14 to 20 years, utterly disappeared. Nor does this number cover all the young women who drop out of the world of their own acquaintances suddenly. The police say that not more than half the actual disappearances are formally reported. The young girls left absolutely no trace behind. They made no preparations for departure, and few have since been heard from. Among the reasons given for the disappearances of the girls are: extreme poverty, theatrical aspirations, and lured away.

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President Taft is reported to have said that nothing but death can keep him out of the Presidential race this year.

The Democratic National Committee, in session at Washington, D. C., Tuesday, selected Baltimore as the place and June 25 as the time for the national convention which will nominate candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

In accordance with a special bargain rate, good only during January and February, we are enabled to offer both this paper and the Louisville Daily Courier-Journal one year for \$4.00; six months for \$2.25; or three months for \$1.25. The Sunday Courier-Journal is not included in this offer, and if it is wanted, it will cost, extra, \$2.00 for a year, \$1.00 for six months, or 50 cents for three months. Under this offer subscriptions must be sent to this office. This is the best subscription offer made in years, and this being a Presidential year, every household should have a good daily paper like the Courier-Journal in connection with the local paper. Remember, subscriptions under this offer must be made before February 29.



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No delay.  
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You must try it.

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A. T. Jones  
Owens Ratliff.  
Jan. 1, 1912.

The Blau Gas Company, which is to manufacture and sell blau gas in Kentucky and Tennessee, has been incorporated at Louisville with a capital stock of two million dollars. Hon. H. Green Garrett, Railroad Commissioner, and Lawyer J. M. Stevenson, both of Winchester, are among the directors and officers. Blau gas can be used for lighting and cooking purposes and will be available in country towns and homes where there is no natural gas or electricity, as it will be shipped in steel tanks and can be connected for use by any one. It is said to be cheaper than coal or natural gas.

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